

1901-011

Lee Co.

Chancery Causes: Harvey Newman vs. Adm. of A. J. Martin &c

Legg, Johnston, Johnson

CA-Debt

T-Property

-Deed



To The Hon. Wm. F. Miller, Judge of the  
Circuit Court for Lee County:

Your orator Harvey Newman, a  
citizen of Lee County, Virginia, re-  
spectfully represents unto your honor,  
that your orator sold on the 10<sup>th</sup> day  
of Feb., 1897 to one A. J. Martin a  
tract of about 50 acres of land, lying  
and being in Lee County, Va., on the  
Big Branch in the Pocket country, and  
being the same land which was conveyed  
on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 1881 to your  
orator by John F. Newman wife, ex-  
cept the mineral rights therein that  
had before the date of said sale to said  
Martin been conveyed to one F. A. Stratton;  
that your orator in writing bound him-  
self to convey said land, with the exception  
aforesaid to said Martin when he had  
fully paid the purchase price thereof;  
that for said land so sold him, the  
said A. J. Martin was to pay your orator  
\$400<sup>00</sup>. Three hundred dollars of which  
bearing interest from date of sale  
to be paid by August, 30<sup>th</sup> 1897, and the  
residue or \$100<sup>00</sup> by the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Dec.,  
1897; that said A. J. Martin executed  
his two notes for said sums and payable as  
aforesaid to your orator which notes are  
here filed marked "A" and prayed to be  
taken as a part of this bill; that on  
said \$300<sup>00</sup> note said Martin paid on  
Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1897 \$170<sup>00</sup> and on Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1897 \$33.15



1 which payments are indorsed upon the  
2 back of said note as credits; and that  
3 said \$300<sup>00</sup> note after deducting therefrom  
4 said two credits and the whole of said  
5 \$100<sup>00</sup> note are yet due your orator as a  
6 part of the purchase price of said land.

7 Your orator will further allege and  
8 show unto your honor, that he put said  
9 Martin into possession of said, and that  
10 after he took possession of the same, and  
11 after said payments were made on said  
12 purchase price of said land, he, the said  
13 Martin, on or about the 15<sup>th</sup> of Sept.,  
14 1898, departed this life intestate, leaving  
15 his wife, Malinda M., and five chil-  
16 dren, to-wit: Siddy Johnston, Ella P.,  
17 Rebecca Ann, John P., and F. Elisha  
18 surviving him as his widow and heirs  
19 at law; that the estate of said A. J.  
20 Martin dec'd. was at the December Term  
21 1898 of the County Court by the County  
22 Court of said County committed to one  
23 John H. Sigg for administration. But  
24 your orator alleges that said Martin on  
25 his death left no effects subject to ad-  
26 ministration, nor did or should anything  
27 <sup>have</sup> come into said Sigg's hands as such admin-  
28 istraton; nor has said widow, or any of  
29 said children or said Sigg as such admin.  
30 or any other person paid your orator any  
31 thing on the said notes,

32 Now your orator is advised that he



has a common law vendors lien on  
said land for the balance of said pur-  
chase price, capable of being enforced  
only in a court of equity; that the equi-  
table title in said land on the death of  
said A. J. Martin descended to said  
Martin's wife & children, and that said  
land is liable in their hands for the  
amount yet due thereon.

Your orator will further shew  
and allege that your orator's said  
debts as shown by said two notes ~~were~~  
the only debts owing by said Martin at  
his death, and therefore no <sup>account</sup> ~~account~~  
is necessary to be taken in this cause;  
and that your orator here files his  
own and wife's deed to said land as  
an answer - properly acknowledged - to  
be delivered to said Martin's wife &  
children on the next day pay your  
orator the residue yet due him on said  
land, which deed is marked "Deed",  
and prayed to be taken as a part of this bill.

Now the premises considered  
your orator is advised he has a right  
to have his said lien enforced against  
said land and to that end he humbly  
prays; also, that John R. Sigg adminis-  
trator of said A. J. Martin, dec'd, Malinda  
M. Martin, Liddie E. Johnston, Ella P.  
Martin, Rebecca A. Martin, John P. Martin  
& F. Eliska Martin each be made parties defend



1 wants to this bill; that they be required  
2 to answer the same but not on oath  
3 as that is waived; that a guardian ad  
4 litem be appointed for Ella P. Martin,  
5 Rebecca A. Martin, John P. Martin and  
6 F. Elisha Martin to defend them in this  
7 cause as they are infants under the age  
8 of twenty-one years; that on a hearing  
9 of this cause, a judgment be given  
10 your orator against said Sigg as said  
11 admn. for said unpaid sums of money;  
12 that the same be adjudged a first and  
13 vendors lien on said land; that if the  
14 same be not paid within a reasonable  
15 time, then said land be sold on reason-  
16 able terms by a Commissioner duly ap-  
17 pointed, to pay said sums of money  
18 their interest and the costs of this suit.  
19 And that all other further and general  
20 relief be awarded your orator as the  
21 nature of his cause and good conscience  
22 may require. May proper process  
23 issue &c. And he will ever pray &c.

24 Pennington Bros. p. q.



By the 20 day of August next I  
bind my self & heirs to pay harvey  
Newman three hundred dollars  
bairing intrust from date given  
under my hand and seal this  
the 10 day of February - 1897 This Note  
is given for Land.

A J Martin

Seal

By the 25 day of December - 1897  
I bind my self & heirs to pay harvey  
Newman one hundred dollars This  
is given for Land given under my  
hand and seal this the 10 day of  
February - 1897 ~~bairing intrust from~~  
~~date~~

A J Martin

Seal

On Pay cash one hundred  
& seventy dollars

This Nov 1 1897

On the within note thirty three  
dollars & fifteen cents

This november 25 1897





This Bond made this the 26<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1898 by Harvey Newman and Rebecca A. Newman his wife, parties of the first part, and Malinda M. Martin, widow of A. J. Martin), and Siddie E. Johnston, Ellen P. Martin, Rebecca Ann Martin, John D. Martin and F. Elisha Martin, children and heirs at law of said A. J. Martin, dec'd.; and all of said county, Virginia

Whereas the said Harvey Newman on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1897, sold to, and put into possession A. J. Martin the tract of land hereinafter described, for the sum of \$400<sup>00</sup>, three hundred of which to be paid by said A. J. Martin, with interest from Feb. 10<sup>th</sup> 1897 by August, 20<sup>th</sup>, 1897 and the residue by the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Dec., 1897; and whereas on said \$300 payment said A. J. Martin paid the sum of \$170<sup>00</sup>, on Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1897 and \$33.15 on Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1897; and whereas at the time of said sale said first party in writing bound himself on payment of said \$400<sup>00</sup> to make said Martin a deed to the land hereinafter described; and whereas the said A. J. Martin on or about the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Sept., 1898 departed this life intestate leaving



1 said ~~land~~ parties as his widow  
2 and heirs at law.

3 Witnesseth that for and in con-  
4 sideration of the premises aforesaid  
5 and the sum of Nine Hundred  
6 dollars in hand paid by said  
7 second parties and said A. J. Martin,  
8 the said first parties do and  
9 each of them doth hereby Give,  
10 Grant, bargain, sell and convey  
11 and confirm unto said second parties  
12 a certain tract or parcel of land,  
13 lying and being in Lin County,  
14 ~~to~~, on the waters of Big Branch,  
15 in the Pocket Country, said to con-  
16 tain 50 acres 'more or less, except-  
17 ing the rights and interests therein  
18 of one J. A. Stratton, his heirs and  
19 assigns; and being the same land  
20 with said exceptions that was on  
21 the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 1881 conveyed  
22 by John Z. Newman wife to said  
23 Harvey Newman, which deed of con-  
24 veyance is of record in the County  
25 Court Clerk's office of Lin County,  
26 in deed book No. 22 page 14 and  
27 to which reference is here made  
28 for the unto and bounds of the  
29 land hereby conveyed.

30 To Have and to hold said tract  
31 of land and its appurtenances,  
32 except said Stratton interest



Therin unto said Second parties  
in fee simple

And the said first parties coven-  
nant with said second parties to  
warrant Generally the title to said  
land & appurtenances, excepting said  
Stratton rights & interests.

Witness the following signatures &  
seals the day and year first above  
written.

Harvey Newmanson (seal)  
her  
Rebecca A. Newmanson (seal)  
wife

Virginia

Six County, to-wit:-

I, J. S. Garrison a Justice of the  
peace in and for the County and State  
aforesaid, do hereby certify that  
Harvey Newmanson and Rebecca A.  
Newmanson, whose names are signed to  
 foregoing deed, dated the 26<sup>th</sup> day of  
December, 1898, have acknowledged  
the same before me in my County  
aforesaid. Given under my hand  
this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1899  
J. S. Garrison J. P.





M. M. Martin et al

From } Seed

Harvey Newman & wife



P bffs Costs

Clerk 5.68

Tax 1.50

Shff 4.00

attly 15.00

Estimated 8.00

31 18

Harvey Newman

vs } Rice in Chanc.

John R. Ligg adversely

1899. 1<sup>st</sup> Feb'y Rules. - Bill  
filed. Defts. fail to  
appear. Decree nisi.

2<sup>nd</sup> Feb'y Rules. - De-  
cree nisi confirmed.

Bill taken for con-  
fession. Cause set  
for hearing.



1. The number of people who are not in the group is 100 - 80 = 20.

)  
) IN CHANCERY.

The joint answer of Sadie <sup>31</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Johnson, Ella P. Martin, Rebecca Ann Martin, John P. Martin and F. Elisha Martin, infants under the age of twenty-one years, by A. M. Coins, their guardian ad litem, assigned to defend them in this suit, to a bill of complaint exhibited against them and others, in the Circuit Court of the county of Lee, by Harvey Newman.

The respondents, reserving to themselves the benefit of all just exceptions to the said bill, for answer thereto, or to so much thereof as they are advised that it is material they should answer, by their said guardian ad litem, answer and say:--

That they are infants of tender years, and by reason of their infancy are incapable of understanding, or of taking care of their rights and interests. They therefore, by their said guardian, command themselves and their rights and interests to the protection of the court, and pray that no decree may be pronounced which will tend to their prejudice.

And having fully answered, the said respondents pray to be hence dismissed with their reasonable costs in this behalf expended, and they will ever pray, etc.

F. M. Gomes.

Guardian ad litem for Sadie E. Johnson,  
Ella P. Martin, Rebecca Ann Martin,  
John P. Martin and F. Elisha Martin.

[illegible]

VIRGINIA:

Lee County, to-wit:-

This day A.M. Goins, Guardian ad litem for the above stated infants, appeared in person before me, *L. L. Hyatt* *Cour. in Chy.* ~~A. B. Dancy~~, ~~Clark~~ of the Circuit Court for Lee county Virginia, in my office, and made oath that the matters in the foregoing answer stated as of his own knowledge are true, and those stated on the information of others he believes to be true.

Given under my hand this 3 day of Nov, 1899.

3 day of March, 1899.  
L. T. Hyatt Comm. ~~in Chy.~~



Harvey Newman  
vs } In Chy.

John R. Legg, Admr. &c.

Answer of St. M. Louis,  
Guardian Ad Litem,

Filed

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Harvey Newman Campbell

vs.

vs  
Chauncy

J. R. Legg admin re et al def

This cause came on again  
this day to be heard upon the pa-  
pers formerly read, therein and  
the report and deed of Court, &  
to Hannie D. Legg  
J. H. Pennington, this day filed in  
this cause and was argued by  
counsel: On consideration  
of all which, and said report  
and deed being reviewed to,  
it is adjudged, ordered and  
decreed that said report and  
deed be and is hereby confirm-  
ed; and said E. H. Pennington is  
now discharged from further  
duties as coun. in this cause  
and he is released from  
any liability on his bond.  
And for his services for  
making said Legg said deed  
the will pay to said Pennington  
five dollars. And this cause  
is stricken from the docket.



Harvey Newman

no } done

J.R. Liggitt

Entered on Chy O/B  
No 6 5-83.

Enter this  
June 8<sup>th</sup> 1901  
H. A. W. Stuen



Harvey Newman, Deft.

vs.

John Egan.

John R. Ligg administrator Deft.

This cause came on this day to be heard upon the papers formerly read therein, and the report of Comm. E. H. Pennington, filed in this cause on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of Oct., 1899, and was argued by counsel: On consideration of all which, and it appearing that said report has been filed for more than two days and is unexcepted to, it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that said report and sale to ~~John~~ Mrs. N. E. Ligg be and the same are hereby confirmed. And said E. H. Pennington, when said deferred payments are due will collect and pay the same to said complainant. And this cause is continued.



Harvey Newman

as { owner

J. R. Legg admr of the

Entered on July  
O.B. No 6 Page 297

Enter this  
Nov 10, 1899

H. C. W. H.



Harvey Newman, Complt.

vs.

John R. Sigg adverse et al Defts.

} In Chancery.

This cause came on this day to be heard upon the bill of the Complt. and exhibits filed therewith, the answer of Siddle E. Johnston, Ellen P. Martin, Rebecca Ann Martin, John P. Martin and F. Elisha Martin infants, by A. M. Goins their guardian ad litem, the replication thereto and was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof, and it appearing that process has been duly served upon the said adult defendants ~~not~~ more than fifteen days before the first day of this term of the court, and they failing to appear and answer, said bill as to them is taken for confessed; and it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that said Harvey Newman recover from said defendant, John R. Sigg admr. of the estate of A. J. Martin decd, the sum of \$300<sup>00</sup> with interest thereon from the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1897 till paid subject to a credit of \$170<sup>00</sup> as of Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>, 1897 and \$33.15 as of Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1897 and also that he recover from



said Ligg as admr. of said estate  
the further sum of \$100<sup>00</sup> with inter-  
est thereon from Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>/1897 till  
paid and the costs of this suit; which  
sums of money are adjudged to  
be a vendor's and first lien upon  
the tract of land described in said  
bill.

And it is further adjudged, or-  
dered and decreed by the Court that  
unless said sums of money and  
the costs be not paid in thirty days  
to said Complainant, then, E. H.  
Perrington, who is hereby appoint-  
ed a special Comr. for the purpose  
will after advertising the time,  
terms and place of sale for 30 days  
by written or printed notices posted  
in three public places of the County,  
one of which shall be at the front  
door of the Court-house, and another  
in the neighborhood of said lands,  
on some Court day at the front  
door of the Court-house of this County,  
at public outcry, to the highest &  
best bidder offer the land in the  
lands in the bill and proceedings



mentioned or enough thereof to pay  
said debts and the costs of this suit and  
commissions of sale, for sale on  
a credit of one and two years  
time bearing interest from date of  
sale, except a sum sufficient  
to pay said costs and commissions  
of sale, which he will require to  
be paid down; and for the defer-  
red payments he will take bonds  
payable to himself, bearing interest  
from date of sale, with good per-  
sonal security; But before en-  
tering upon the <sup>duties</sup> ~~business~~ of this de-  
cree said Summington will execute  
bonds before the Clerk of this Court  
in a penalty of \$400<sup>00</sup> conditioned  
as the law requires in such cases.  
And he will report his action to  
Court; And this Cause is continued.



Harvey Newman

vs. Deane No 7

J. R. Sigg admstrat

Entered in Chancery  
Order Book No. 6.  
pages 242 & 243.

Enter this  
March 7 1899.  
W. J. M.



Harvey Newman

vs.

} de Chancery

J. R. Siggs and others

To the Hon. W. A. H. Shreve,  
Judge of the Circuit Court for the Dist. of Col.

Your undersigned Counsel,  
begs leave to report as shown  
by his report filed in this  
cause on Oct. 17th 1899, the  
notes taken by him from Har-  
vey E. Siggs & J. R. Siggs on  
the purchase price of the  
land mentioned in said cause  
by the direction of said Newman,  
to whom the money therefor  
was going, did assign the same  
without recourse to the Pen-  
nington Gap Bank of Pen-  
nington Gap, Va.; and A. G.  
Shyatt reports to your Court  
said said Siggs have paid  
the first due of said notes  
and part of the other; and  
said Siggs disavow the same  
done and said Bank through  
said Shyatt its cashier being  
willing that a deed be made  
to said H. E. Siggs for said  
land without waiting until



the whole of said notes or bonds  
are paid, Your Honor, begs  
leave to report that he has  
made said Francis E. Legg  
a deed to said land and  
here files the same for con-  
firmation. And your Honor  
will further report that  
he has only had in his hands  
in this cause the sum of  
\$41.18, which sum he has dis-  
bursed and paid out to  
those to whom it belonged  
and now he prays that he  
be relieved from further  
duties hereunder, and that  
he forever discharged from  
any liability ~~as~~ his bond  
given in this cause as  
agent to sell said land.  
This June 8th 1901

E. H. Harrington

Specimen

Newman  
vs } Report

Legg

Filed June  
8th 1901  
J. B. Murray Clerk



Harvey Newman Complt.

vs.

J.R. Ligg admr et al Defts

} In Chanc.  
To the Hon. W. J. Miller, Judge  
of the Circuit Court for Sd. Co.

Your undersigned, who was appointed at the March term 1899 of Your honor's Court appointed a special commr. in the above styled cause to sell certain lands in said cause mentioned, begs leave to report that after duly advertising the time, terms and place of sale for more than 30 days by written notices posted as required by the terms of your honor's decree, on May 15<sup>th</sup> 1899 that being a Court day, at the front door of the Court house of this County at about the hour of 12 noon of that day, in the manner as required by said decree, did offer the interest of A. J. Martin decd. in the tract of land mentioned in said cause, for sale on a credit of one or two years except the costs of this suit and commissions of sale. After crying



said sale for some time, said interest in said land, was knocked down to Mrs. N. E. Sigg, who was the highest & best bidder, for the sum of \$259.68; she paid down to your court the sum of \$41.18 and executed her two notes for \$114.25 each, bearing interest from date of sale with J. R. Sigg as surety. The sum bid by her for said land was intended to be just enough to cover said Campbell's debt, and the costs of this suit and \$12.28 commission on said sale;

All which is respectfully submitted, this June 12<sup>th</sup> 1899.

E. H. Pennington,  
Spec. Commr.



Harvey Newman

vs } Report of  
Sale to  
N.E. Ligg

J. R. Ligg admiral

Filed October 17th 1899  
A. B. Munsey Clerk



This deed made this 2 day of March 1881 By  
between John Newman and Emily H his wife of  
the first parts and Harvey Newman of the second  
part Both of the County of Lee & state of Virginia  
Witnesseth That the said John Newman & Emily  
his wife of the first parts doth grant  
Bargain sell unto the said Harvey Newman for  
the sum of \$32.50 ~~£~~ thirty two dollars and fifty¢  
to him in hand Paid a certain tract or  
parcel of land lying & being in the above named  
County & state in the Pocket country on the waters  
of Big Branch said to contain fifty Acres more  
less Beginning on two chernuts and ~~whit oak~~ hickory  
on the top of a ridge Thence S 44½ E 110 Poles to a  
whit oak & beech not fair from a branch N 12½ E 80  
Poles to a stake on the south side of a small branch  
N 34½ E 31 Poles to a beech N 16½ E 20 Poles to  
to a small poplar and beech bushes in the  
edge of a branch Thence N 5½ W 18 Poles to a  
stake on the East side of branch Thence N 86½  
W 47 Poles to a whit oak and chernut on the  
top of a ridge S 33½ W 7 Poles to two gums  
Thence S 83 W 10 Poles to chernut on the top  
of a ridge Thence S 43½ W 16 Poles to a whit oak on  
same ridge S 18½ W 18 Poles to three chernut  
saplings Thence S 86½ W 15 Poles to two chernuts Thence  
S 38 W 22 Poles to a gum S 55 W 15 Poles to the  
Beginning to have and to hold said tract of Land



With all its appertinences forever in witness  
Whereof we have therunto subscribed our  
Names & affixed our seal the day & above written

John J. Newman & Seal  
Emily J. Newman & Seal

Maxima her County Court  
we the Judge and J. J. Newman Justice of  
the Peace in and for the above said County do  
certify that John J. Newman and Emily J. his  
wife whose Names is annexed to the writing  
above Baring date 26 August 1881 person-  
ally appeared before us in before said  
County and the above said Emily J. Newman  
being duly and apart from her husband  
and having the writing fully explained to  
her she the said Emily J. Newman acknowledged  
the same to be her act and  
says she did willingly execute the same  
and does not wish to retract it and John  
J. Newman husband of the before said  
Emily J. Newman whose Names is annexed  
to the above writing acknowledged the  
same before us given under our hands and  
seals this 26 August 1881

John J. Newman J. P. Seal  
J. J. Newman J. P. Seal



Virginia, Lee County Court Clerk's office  
the 11<sup>th</sup> day of Jan'y 1887. The foregoing deed  
bearing date March 2<sup>d</sup> 1881. between John  
J. Newman & Emily F. his wife of the one  
part, and Harvey Newman of the other  
part, all of Lee County Va<sup>o</sup> was this day  
filed in this office and admitted  
to record upon the certificate of Wm P.  
Page & J. J. Newman Justices of the  
Peace for Lee Co, Va<sup>o</sup>

Teste John Q. Gibson Clerk



Harvey Newman  
Aug 3 Decd

H. G. Newman & wife

Recorded in Decd  
Book 1022 P. 14

C. P. Gilman

4 50  
6 125  
\$1,75 Paid  
Jan 11<sup>th</sup> 1887  
J. R. Gilman  
cl



Rec'd of E. H. Purnington  
Court in the Chancery cause  
of of Harvey 'Woman' vs J. R. Ligg-  
adam et al. four - dollars -  
This the 17<sup>th</sup> June, 1899.  
E. S. Stephens D S for  
E. H. Purnington



1



#7.18

Received of E. W. Pennington Court in  
the Chancery Cause of Harvey Newman  
vs J. R. Legg Administrator (#718) Seven  
dollars and eighteen cents my fees in  
the above styled Cause, this the 19<sup>th</sup> day  
of June 1899.

A. B. Munsey Clerk



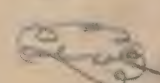
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Know all men by these presents  
That Henry Newman is held and firmly bound  
unto A. J. Martin in the just and full sum  
of Eight Hundred dollars the payment  
whereof well & truly made A. J. Martin  
his Certain Attorney this Executor administrator  
or Assignee I bind my Self my heirs  
executors & administrators jointly by these  
presents sold with my Seal and date  
this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1897 the conditions  
of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the said Henry Newman hath sold into  
A. J. Martin a certain tract or parcel of  
land supposed to be 50 Acres be the same  
more or less now if the said Henry Newman  
makes a deed into the said A. J. Martin  
now the said A. J. Martin binds himself  
to pay unto Henry Newman



Three hundred dollars by the 20<sup>th</sup> day  
 of Aug. 1897. And one hundred dollars  
 by the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Dec. 1897 the said  
 land is situated in the Pockett country  
 on the water of Big Branch in the  
 County of Lee and State of Va except-  
 the Mineral Right that was sold to F. R.  
 Stratton except 5 acres that was excepted  
 around the house <sup>and</sup> garden & orchard  
 given under our hands & seals the 10<sup>th</sup> day  
 Jan. 1897

Henry Newman 

Malinda	Margaret	Martin
Siddia	Elinor	Martin
Eller D	Martin	non Johnson
Rebecca	Ann	Martin
John	Pruss	Martin
Farist	Elisha	Martin



Harvey Mowen  
J. R. <sup>ag.</sup> Cigg & son &c

Auth. of note  
Int from 2/10/97 to 11/1/97 -

\$ 300.00

13.00

\$ 313.00

Per Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> 1897

170.00

Int to Nov. 25/97

\$ 143.00

Per Nov. 25/97

\$ 43.48

Int on same to 5/15/99

\$ 33.15

Note with Int from 12/25/97

\$ 110.33

Int on same to 5/15/99

\$ 4.82

due 5/15/99

\$ 128.15

100.00

8.35

\$ 228.50

Costs

31.18

\$ 259.68

Comms -

16.00

\$ 275.68

Costs

\$ 31.18

Com. in \$ 259.68

15.98

Balance on Comms -

42.16

2.92

\$ 41.18

\$ 411.86 paid over -

127.00

127.00

2/25-968



Harvey Monahan  
c/o Calcuttans  
J. H. Legg & Son

Judge I wish that you  
would make me off a strong signed  
statement of this with stating  
in closing that note yours truly  
J. H. Legg



In Re

Harvey Newman

vs

J.R. Sigg admr.

} In Chancery

In app with

W.H. Huntington Comr.

1899

June 12

By amt. from J.R. Sigg

41 18

1899

Disbursements

June 12

To Comr. retained on \$269.68

12 98

" Atty. fee "

15 00

June 17

" Amt. " paid E.S. Stapleton D.D.

4 00

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" " " " A.B. Munnery

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Harvey Newman

vs. } Statement of  
      } E.H.P.'s a/s

J.R. Sigg et al



The Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of the County of Lee, Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU, that you summon *John R Legg Admr of the*  
*estate of A. J. Martin decd Malinda M Martin*  
*Siddie E Johnston, \* Ellen P Martin + Rebecca Ann x*  
*+ Martin, John P. Martin + F Elisha Martin,*

to appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee, at the rules to be held  
for the said Court on the *15<sup>th</sup>* Monday in *Feb'y*, 189*9*, to answer a bill in  
chancery, exhibited against *them* in our said court by

*Harvey Newman*

And have then there this writ. Witness, A. B. MUNSEY, Clerk of our said Court, at the court-house,  
the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 189*8*, and in the *123<sup>rd</sup>* year of the Commonwealth.

*A. B. Munsey Clerk*



Harvey Newman

vs.

SUBPOENA  
IN CHANCERY.John R Legg Admr<sup>al</sup> et

Pennington Bros p. q.

To 1<sup>st</sup> February Rules.

Circuit Court.

Executed on Dec. 31  
1898 by delivering true  
copies of the within  
summons to John R. Legg  
admr<sup>al</sup>, Malinda M.  
Martin, Gildie E. Johnston,  
Ella P. Martin, Rebecca  
Ann Martin, John P.  
Martin & F. Eliza Martin.  
This Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> 1898.

E. S. Stephens  
for H. P. Hurlin  
A. C. Lee.